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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 LUIS MORALES-GARCIA, BENITO
12 PEREZ-REYES, CESAR JIMENEZ-
13 MENDOZA, GABRIELA RENDON-
14 VASQUEZ, and JUANA VELASCO-
15 TORRES, on behalf of themselves and
16 all others similarly situated,

17 *Plaintiffs,*

18 v.

19 HIGUERA FARMS, INC., LA
20 CUESTA FARMING COMPANY,
21 INC., BIG F COMPANY, INC., RED
22 BLOSSOM SALES, INC., BETTER
23 PRODUCE, INC., and DOES 1-8,

24 *Defendants.*
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Case No.: 2:18-cv-05118-SVW-JPR

CLASS ACTION

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS’
MOTION FOR CERTIFICATION
UNDER FEDERAL RULE OF CIVIL
PROCEDURE 54(B)**

DATE: December 6, 2021

JUDGE: Hon. Wilson

COURTROOM: 10A, 10th Floor

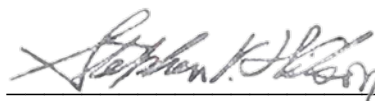
ORDER

The Court, having considered Plaintiffs' Motion For Certification Under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 54(b), arguments of counsel, and the documents on file in this case, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Plaintiffs' Motion For Certification Under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 54(b) is GRANTED.
2. The October 18, 2021 Final Judgment entered in favor of Defendants Better Produce, Inc. and Red Blossom Sales, Inc., Dkt. 399, shall be amended, certified and entered pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 54(b). There is no just reason for delay because the claims against Red Blossom Sales, Inc. and Better Produce, Inc. for joint employer and client employer are severable in both the legal and factual issues involved from the claims against Higuera Farms. Inc., La Cuesta Farming Company, Inc., and Big F Company, Inc. for wage and hour violations.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 7, 2021



Hon. Stephen V. Wilson
United States District Court Judge